

**Healthcare and Family Services
Medicaid Electronic Health Record Work Group
Meeting Notes
November 17, 2014**

Attendees (by phone):

Dave Barnes	Department of Healthcare and Family Services
Janet Barrett	OSF Healthcare
Janet Baxter	Alliance of Chicago
Pat Borrowdale	Pediatric Health Associates
Mike Casey	Department of Healthcare and Family Services
Connie Christen	Department of Healthcare and Family Services
Paula Dillon	Illinois Hospital Association
Roger Holloway	Illinois Health Information Technology Regional Extension Center
Peter Ingram	Work Group Chairman
Vince Keenan	Illinois Academy of Family Physicians
Scotty McLaughlin	Department of Healthcare and Family Services
Andrea Romaniuk	Lurie Children's Hospital of Chicago
Ken Ryan	Illinois State Medical Society
JoAnn Spoor	Illinois Hospital Association
Jeff Todd	Department of Healthcare and Family Services
Theresa Walunas	Chicago Health Information Technology Regional Extension Center
Eric Watson	Department of Healthcare and Family Services
Eva Winckler	Chicago Health Information Technology Regional Extension Center

1) Review of Minutes

The minutes from the October 20th call were approved.

2) Electronic Health Record Medicaid Incentive Payment Program (eMIPP) Status Update

- **Payments to Date**
- **Processing Queue Statistics**
- **2013/2014 Attestations**

Dave Barnes reviewed the statistical report saying that 146 2014 Eligible Professionals (EPs) and five Eligible Hospitals (EHs) were paid since the last call on October 17th. There were 66 EPs

who attested that have not previously attested. Over \$419 million has been distributed since the program began.

Dave said there have been no major problems with the new eMIPP application. There are only a few 2013 attestations in the work queue and most of their issues have been resolved. There has been a lot of activity for 2014 attestations. The vast majority of those are for 2014, Stage 1. Only a few providers used the flexibility rule for Stage 2. Nine EPs have attested for 2014, Stage 2. There are 88 EHs that have attested for Medicare. There are 50 EHs that have received all of their incentive payments and are finished attesting for Medicaid.

Regional Extension Centers (REC) Outreach and Education Reports

Eva Winckler updated the group on the REC activities in October. E-blasts were sent out, a survey was done, phone campaigns and webinars continued and a conference was held regarding Meaningful Use. ILHITREC enrolled 95 providers. Outreach was done to help determine why some providers have not moved forward with their attestations.

Additional Agenda Item

Vince Keenan said that he would like to possibly collaborate with others in this work group for the Center's for Medicare and Medicaid Services transforming clinical practice initiative grant. It will be added to the next agenda to discuss.

Meeting adjourned. The next call is scheduled on December 1st.